House Amendment 1268

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           Amend Senate File 413, as passed by the Senate, as
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     2 follows:
     3 \pm 1. Page 4, by inserting after line 22 the
     4 following:
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                       Section 331.401, subsection 3, Code
     6 2007, is amended to read as follows:
          3. <u>a.</u> The board shall not pay bounties on crows,
     8 rattlesnakes, foxes, or wolves other than coyotes.
          b. A county may receive reimbursement from the
       department of natural resources for bounty payments on
    11 coyotes, as provided in section 455A.10. In order to
    12 receive reimbursement, the county must submit the
    13 total number of county claims subject to reimbursement
    14 as provided by rules adopted by the department. The
    15 county must maintain a list of persons holding an
    16 interest in land located within the county who
    17 authorize the destruction of coyotes on their land.
    18 reimbursable claim is made when a coyote is destroyed
    19 on land listed with the county as certified by the
    20 person destroying the coyote and a person holding an
    21 interest in the land. A person who fraudulently
    22 submits a claim or certifies that a coyote has been
    23 destroyed on listed land is guilty of a simple
    24 misdemeanor.
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                      Section 455A.10, Code 2007, is amended
         Sec. ____.
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    26 by adding the following new unnumbered paragraph:
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          NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. Of the moneys remaining
    28 in the state fish and game protection fund which are
    29 not specifically appropriated by the general assembly
    30 during any fiscal year, twenty=five thousand dollars 31 is appropriated and shall be used by the department to
    32 reimburse counties for the payment of claims for
    33 bounties paid on coyotes as provided in section
    34 331.401. If the total amount of eligible claims
    35 exceeds twenty=five thousand dollars, the department
    36 shall prorate the reimbursement amount to provide an 37 equal payment for all claims.>
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    38 \pm 2. By renumbering as necessary.
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